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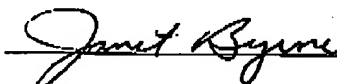
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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>  <b>for FY 2005</b>  <i>Patent fees are subject to annual revision.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant Claims Small Entity		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
		Application Number	09/936,987
		Filing Date	March 5, 2002
		First Named Inventor	George Kramerlich
		Examiner Name	W.C. Vaughn, Jr.
		Group Art Unit	2143
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT</b>	<b>\$1,155.00</b>	Attorney Docket No.:	14882-323

METHOD OF PAYMENT				FEE CALCULATION (continued)			
<b>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to charge indicated fees or credit</b>				<b>4. ADDITIONAL FEES</b>			
Deposit Acct No. Name:	<b>50-1901</b> <b>Oppenheimer Wolff &amp; Donnelly LLP</b>			Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
<b>X Charge Any Add'l Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17</b>				1051	130	2051	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
				1052	50	2052	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
				1053	130	1053	130 Non-English specification
				1812	2,520	1812	2,520 Filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination
				1804	920*	1804	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
				1805	1,840*	1805	1840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
<b>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment Enclosed:</b>				1251	120	2251	60 Extension for reply within first month
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<b>FEE CALCULATION</b>				1253	1020	2253	510 Extension for reply within third month
<b>1. BASIC FILING FEE</b>				1254	1,590	2254	795 Extension for reply within fourth month
Large Fee	Small Fee	Fee description	Fee Paid	1255	2,160	2255	1,080 Extension for reply within fifth month
1000*	500*	Utility filing fee		1401	500	2401	250 Notice of Appeal
430*	215*	Design filing fee		1402	500	2402	250 Filing a brief in support of an appeal
660*	330*	Plant filing fee		1403	1,000	2403	500 Request for oral hearing
1400*	700*	Reissue filing fee		1451	1,510	1451	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding
200	100	Provisional filing fee		1452	500	2452	250 Petition to revive - unavoidable
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>	1453	1,500	2453	750 Petition to revive - unintentional
<b>2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES</b>				1501	1,400	2501	700 Utility issue fee (or reissue)
		Extra Claims	Fee	1502	800	2502	400 Design issue fee
Claims	26-20 =	6	50/25	1503	1,100	2503	550 Plant issue fee
Ind. Claims	4-3 =	1	200/100	1460	130	1460	130 Petitions to the Commissioner
		Multiple Dependent	360/180	1807	130	1807	130 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
			<b>\$150.00</b>	1808	180	1808	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
			<b>\$100.00</b>	8021	40	8021	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
			<b>\$250.00</b>	1809	790	2809	395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
			<b>\$250.00</b>	1810	790	2810	395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
			<b>\$250.00</b>	1801	790	2801	395 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
			<b>\$250.00</b>	1802	900	1802	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application
			<b>\$250.00</b>	Other fee (specify)			
<b>3. Application Size Fee (Utility)</b>							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.18(a)							

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